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In re Appln. of: **Scott R. Sargent et al.**

Appln. No.: **09/676,227**

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For: **Architectures for Netcentric Computing Systems**

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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (in dup.); Form PTO-1449; 36 cited references; check for \$180
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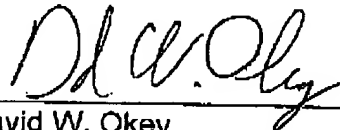
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